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In re Application of:
BRUNO DONATINI
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AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the office action of August 13, 2002, please amend this application
as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

B1 **Claim 1** (amended) Pharmaceutical dietary composition based on mushrooms
which contain as active ingredients at least edible mushroom or part of mushrooms and at
least one derivative of chitosan selectd from the group consisting of acidic or cationically
substituted chitosan derivatives and basically-substituted chitosan derivatives , in
admixture or combination with a non-toxic diluent or vehicle.

B2 **Claim 8** (twice amended) A composition according to claim 1, wherein the
basically substituted chitosan derivative has a pH of between 7 and 12.